



PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 04712/018002

Certificate of Mailing

Date of Deposit March 8, 2001

Label Number: EL509051003US

I hereby certify under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to: BOX CPA, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Guy Beardsley

Printed name of person mailing correspondence


Signature of person mailing correspondence

#13/B
HAD
3/15/01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Lee et al.

Art Unit: 1619

Serial No.: 09/153,133

Examiner: S. Sharareh

Filed: September 15, 1998

Customer
No.: 21559

Title: CALCIUM PHOSPHATE DELIVERY VEHICLE AND ADJUVANT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please preliminarily amend the above-identified application as follows. This Preliminary Amendment is provided in response to the Office Action mailed September 12, 2000.

In the claims.

Kindly replace pending claims 1, 5, 13, 14, 15, 26 and 27 with the following claims. This amendment is accompanied with a version of the replacement claims that have been marked up to show all the changes relevant to the previous version of the

RECEIVED
TECH CENTER 1600
MARCH 5 2001
U.S. PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE